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RELIGION MUST BE MADE ATTRACTIVE SAYS PRESIDENT

Commends Plan of Having Gymnasium And Other Amusements

LAYS CORNER STONE OF INGRAM MEMORIAL

Pastor Had Stone Set In Advance; Was Afraid of Taft's Masonry

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—In assisting today to lay the cornerstone of a church which has as a part of its equipment a gymnasium, a swimming pool, bowling alleys and club rooms, President Taft took occasion to pay a tribute to the civil employe of the government who, being compelled to remain in Washington while the president goes to the seashore and legislators seek their vacations, carries on the work of the government.

"Sometimes working for a salary much too low," said the president. "he is philosopher enough to know that he can get more real happiness out of life in seeing his family grow and in the education of his children than by aspiring to be a millionaire or plutocrat."

Make Religion Attractive.

The president also spoke of the wisdom of providing rational amusement as a part of church work, thus making religion a welcome part of life, and not something "to be improved only once in seven days and then to be taken in as small doses as possible."

The church is to be known as the "Ingram Memorial Congregational, of which Dr. J. W. Frizzel is the pastor. President Taft, who is a mason, and who at a recent cornerstone laying in this city, worked for nearly fifteen minutes in spreading mortar all over the surface upon which the big granite block was to rest, was somewhat disappointed today when he found that his only function was to place in position and seal into the stone a metal box containing photographs of himself, of the pastor, and various records and trinkets.

Afraid of His Masonary.

"I'm an accomplished mason," protested the president.

Dr. Frizzel laughingly replied that the church did not want to take any

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WANT TAFT TO STOP AT EVERY VILLAGE ON AUTUMN TRIP

Requests Are Pouring In From Every Town Near Line of His Tour

MAY BE COMPELLED TO CHANGE ITINERARY

Extraordinary Precautions Taken by Roads to Insure His Safety

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Indications multiply that President Taft's announced itinerary for his Western and Southern trip this fall will be materially extended. The president himself did not include in the tentative list which was published all of the places where he expects to stop long enough to make an address and hold a brief car-end reception. The itinerary was made up of those cities where the president will spend from one to three days.

Strong efforts will be made by congressmen and state officials to have the president stop, for a few minutes at least, at nearly all of the towns of appreciable size through which his train will pass in the daylight hours. Already the president has been bombarded with such requests. He has suggested to all of his callers and correspondents that they take the matter up with him later in the summer when the detailed plans for the trip actually are under consideration. During the trips he has made thus far the president has adhered to the policy of journeying in a single private car attached to regular trains. The trips have been comparatively short, however, and on them the president has been bothered with as little public business as possible.

May Get Special.

Secretary Carpenter has remained behind at the white house to look after routine affairs and has communicated with the president only at rare intervals. In his far Western trip, however, where trains are run heavier and at longer intervals than here in the East, it is more than likely that the president will have to follow the policy of his predecessors in chartering a special train. A special will be absolutely essential if the president is to make stops at any of the smaller cities that dot the way between the

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GLIDDENITES ARE TO START ON LONG ENDURANCE RACE

Thirty Machines of All Sizes Are Awaiting The Signal to Start

SWING TO DENVER AND CIRCLE BACK

Contest Is to Test Reliability of Different Makes of Automobiles

(By Associated Press.)

DETROIT, Mich., July 11.—Thirty automobiles, ranging from little runabouts to great touring cars, are parked tonight in Cadillac square, awaiting the signal which will start them tomorrow morning on the sixth annual reliability run of the American Automobile association, popularly known as the Glidden tour. Finishing touches were put on each of the cars before it was "checked in," and each repair that has to be made during the 2,636 mile run to Kansas City, by way of Chicago, Minneapolis and Denver, will result in a penalization of the machine's score.

In addition to the thirty cars which will contest for the three prizes, about twenty non-competing machines will make the long trip, carrying officials, newspaper men, manufacturers and automobile enthusiasts.

To Start Today.

Promptly at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning the first car will be sent off by the starter. At one minute intervals the other contestants will follow. Each car carries an official observer to represent the contest committee.

Kalamazoo, Mich, is the objective point of the tourists on the first day. The second day will bring them into Chicago. Three days will be spent crossing Wisconsin and reaching Minneapolis.

Leaving Chicago July 14, the tourists will go to Madison, Wis., thence to Lacrosse, Wis., and Minneapolis, where two days will be spent. On the morning of July 19, they will swing off to the southwest, headed for Denver, reaching there July 24.

The tourists will spend two days in the Colorado capital and on the twenty-seventh they will begin the last leg of the long journey, leaving Denver, for Hugo, Colo. The final three days of the tour are as follows: To Oakley, Kansas; to Salina, Kan., and to Kansas City, Mo.

Hail to The Prince-

GIRL WALKS OFF FLYING TRAIN IN HER SLEEP; ESCAPES UNHURT

Daughter of Vice President Campbell of 'Frisco Woke Up Lying Beside Track—Flagged Next Train and Rejoined Family as They Were Going to Search for Her.

(Special to The Citizen.)

RAVENNA, Neb., July 11.—While walking in her sleep, Miss Lois Campbell, the 16-year-old daughter of Vice-President Campbell, of the Frisco railroad, leaped from the rear of her father's private car attached to a Burlington flyer as the train was speeding over the prairies west of Ravenna at midnight last night.

Rendered unconscious by the fall, the girl finally recovered and succeeded in flagging a freight train, on which she rode to the next station, where she found a special train which had been sent out to search for her. She is uninjured.

Mr. Campbell, with his family, was returning from the Seattle exposition, his car being attached to the Burlington flyer. When the train reached Ravenna it was discovered that Miss Lois was missing. She had been known to walk in her sleep and fearing that she had leaped from the train while in a state of somnabulism, the parents were wild with apprehension, Mrs. Campbell collapsing.

Searched the Line.

The dispatcher at Ravenna was notified and a special train made up, to which the Campbell car was attached. The car was immediately sent west over the line from which the girl had disappeared, a special headlight being placed on the pilot and a watchmaunn stationed beside it. All trains on the division were notified to run slowly and keep a strict watch for the girl.

When the special reached Sweet Water, Miss Lois was standing on the platform waiting for her parents. According to her story, she awoke to find herself lying beside the railroad track. She had been unconscious, but was practically uninjured. She had no idea how long she had been there, nor the manner in which she reached the place.

However, she got to her feet and started walking down the track. After walking half an hour she saw a locomotive approaching, and standing in the glare of the headlight managed to flag the train. She told her story to the conductor and was taken on board.

Found Girl.

At the next station the conductor was handed the order of the dispatcher to keep watch for the missing girl, and immediately telegraphed that she was aboard the train.

Mr. Campbell's special could not be reached by telegraph and the first he knew of his daughter's safety was when he alighted from the train at Sweet Water. It is said the Campbells have lost three children in railway accidents.

ELEVEN MEN MUST SHAPE UP TARIFF TO PLEASE NATION

Both House And Senate Holding Out Now But Must Yield Soon

LITTLE PROSPECT OF DOWNWARD REVISION

Need of Revenue More Important Than Academic Questions Now

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Making a tariff law that will meet most nearly the wish of the greatest number of people and at the same time raise sufficient revenue for the expense of government—that is the task with which for four months both houses of congress have wrestled and which has now reached what might be called the semi-final, or conference stage.

Eleven men, five republican senators and six republican representatives, have shouldered the responsibility of evolving from the two tariff bills passed by the senate and house, a law that will be acceptable not only to both houses of congress but also to the president and above all, to the mass of the people.

Must Make Concessions.

While the conferees from both houses desire to have retained in the bill the schedules as approved by their respective branches, none realize better that they must make concessions. Their present determination not to yield will give way to a more conciliatory attitude as the conference wears on.

The senate made 847 changes, many of them merely verbal, in the tariff bill as it passed the house. Members of the house claim the latter's measure comes closer to answering the public demand for the "revision downward" than does the second bill.

Must Have Revenue.

Whether it would provide all the revenue needed to run the government is a question. The fight hinges upon the number of the changes made

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PRESBYTERIANS ARE STIRRED BY ORDINATION OF SEMINARY GRADUATE

Student Who Recently Was Taken into Ministry Rejects Bible.

WORSE THAN BRIGGS

(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, July 11.—The controversy over the ordination of George A. Fitch, the Union seminary graduate has split the New York presbytery. Members of the conservative element who are bitterly fighting to bar from the ministry all except orthodox Presbyterians pointed out yesterday that Union seminary plays an important part in the present discussion as it did in the Briggs trial. In fact, it is charged by some of the orthodox members that those who are in sympathy with the radical element in Union seminary have succeeded in getting control of the New York presbytery.

It looks like another Briggs case—although Professor Briggs was orthodox compared with the young men who have declared that they do not believe in the virgin, birth, the resurrection and other essentials of the scriptures.

The Chi Alpha society, of the Union seminary, will, no doubt, play an important part in the protest. This society includes almost every professor of the seminary and a good many doctors of the Presbyterian church. They all know what the Chi Alpha stands for and the wonderful power it possesses.

The seminary, although no longer a strictly Presbyterian school, has been quietly placing its graduates in prominent churches. The churches are filled with them at the present time, and they are brought up with a full understanding when and how to vote.

Dr. Francis Brown, president of Union seminary, refused to discuss the Chi Alpha society yesterday, and said that he had nothing to add to the discussion over the ordination of young Mr. Fitch.

That the success of the radicals in ordaining Mr. Fitch has alarmed orthodox members outside of New York was evident yesterday by two letters received by Dr. Daniel S. Gregory, one from Boston and one from Pittsburg.

ESCAPED PRISONER IS CAPTURED AFTER BEING AT LIBERTY FOR A YEAR

George Hall Who Escaped from Penitentiary Is Caught at Spartanburg.

TAKEN TO PRISON

(Special to The Citizen.)

SALISBURY, July 11.—George Hall, of Salisbury, who was convicted in 1906 of participating in the triple lynching that occurred here that year and who escaped from the penitentiary last October, was arrested in Spartanburg, S. C. this week and accompanied by an officer, passed through Salisbury yesterday afternoon on his way to Raleigh to serve out his unexpired term.

Hall, alias George Wagner, was arrested at his home near Saxon mills Wednesday evening by Private John Crocker, of the police force, on a warrant sworn out before Magistrate A. B. Kirby by J. H. Ellers.

After being arrested and lodged in jail Hall admitted that he was the man wanted in Salisbury. He said that he was convicted in 1906 on the charge of being implicated in the lynching of three men. Fifteen men were indicted and tried on the same charge, but he was the only man convicted out of the fifteen men. After serving two years and four months he made his escape and went to Spartanburg and went to work as a carpenter. When he got to Spartanburg he changed his name to George Wagner and has found steady employment in the city, being worked on a large number of houses in various parts of the city. He is married and has seven children.

LUTHERANS TO MERGE.

CLEVELAND, July 10.—The Lutheran synod of Missouri and other states today decided to merge its identity with the German Lutheran synod covering the United States, Canada and some foreign countries from which it separated twenty-eight years ago. Rules of the German synod against the use of the English language in services or synod meetings, which brought about the separation, have been rescinded.

"FIRST CITIZENS" AND MAGISTRATES CHARGED WITH "BLIND TIGERING"

North Wilkesboro in uproar Over Revelations Made by Detective.

CALLS SPECIAL TERM

(By Associated Press.)

HIGH POINT, July 11.—Detective H. B. Thompson, of the High Point detective agency, has returned from North Wilkesboro, where he was the means of turning that town upside down. He went there to work on blind tigers and in a little over a week he caused the arrest of 23 men, many of them the most prominent men in the town, including two magistrates. Some of the men are wealthy and are raising a racket.

Of course such a scoop as this caused great excitement and for a time the detective had to stand pat. They talked of ruining him out of town, horse-whipping him but he went through without a scratch. When the preliminary trial was called the crowd was so dense that they had to adjourn to the opera house. When Detective Thompson got on the stand the lawyers demanded that he be unarmed but this could not be done as he was an officer. Two warrants were issued against him to disarm him of his weapons but without avail.

A special term of court has been ordered to try the case and no doubt Wilkesboro will have one of the largest crowds in its history, when court meets.

The W. C. T. U. and other citizens of the county are back of the work and stick to the detective in his work. Places raided were in the business section of the town in places that were supposed to have been respectable.

Detective Thompson will go back there in a few days.

BLACKHANDER HANGED.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—The first legal execution in Louisiana for a crime carried out under the sign of the blackhand will take place at Hahnville next Friday, when Leonardo Gebbia will be hanged for complicity in the murder of little Walter Lamana, two years ago.

GAVE HUSBAND'S SLAYER MONEY TO MAKE ESCAPE

Wife over whom He Fought Looked at His Dead Body Coolly.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—A bloody duel between husband [illegible] charged with being responsible for the alienation of his wife's affections was graphically [illegible] by Carl Bertuna, slayer of Jesse Knecht here today, according to the police record. Bertuna, who was employed by Knecht, a baker, killed the latter Thursday.

"Knecht said to me that his wife thought more of me than she did of him and we would have to fight it off," Bertuna [illegible] as declaring. "He attacked me [illegible] we fought it out in the baking room. I struck him down and then went and told Mrs. Knecht what I had done. Together we went down and viewed the body and she then gave me money enough to leave town."

Bertuna was captured last night in Mobile. He made no effort against being brought back to New Orleans today.

LEPERS INCREASING.

NEW ORLEANS, July 11.—According to a report published by the board of control, there are now sixty-two patients in the Louisiana lepers home more than at any time since the colony was started.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Forecast for North Carolina: Partly Cloudy Monday and Tuesday, light variable winds mostly south.

MILITARY OFFICERS ARE UPPISH SAYS DR. MELL

Assume More Authority Than Presidents of Colleges He Declares.

(By Associated Press.)

ANDERSON, S. C., July 11.—That military commandants assigned to colleges by the war department consider themselves equal to the college president in authority, or above him, was one of the reasons given today by Dr. P. H. Mell for his resignation yesterday from Clemson Agricultural college. Dr. Mell made a statement in which he said that lack of co-operation on the part of the military officers with the administration of the president, the faculty and their authority of faculty meetings, without consulting regarding the period of work. The board refused to accept Dr. Mell's resignation and called a meeting for August 12 to consider the situation.

BRYAN WANTS EXTRA SESSIONS CALLED

LINCOLN, Neb., July 10.—William Jennings Bryan in a statement today regarding the amendment to the tariff bill adopted in the United States senate calling for the various states to call special conventions providing for income tax, said:

"Democratic governors in states having democratic legislatures ought to call extra sessions of the legislature and secure immediate ratification of the income tax amendment. Now is the time to act."

MRS. RAYNOR DEAD.

SAN ANTONIA, July 10.—Mrs. Kenneth Polk Raynor, aged eighty-eight years, last surviving member of a prominent North Carolina family and one of the last surviving daughters of a revolutionary soldier, died here this afternoon. Mrs. Raynor was the daughter of Lieutenant-Colonel William Polk of the Continental army and grand-daughter of Thomas Polk one of the signers of the Mecklenburg declaration of independence.

REPORT SHOWS PROGESS OF N. CAROLINA SCHOOLS

School Funds Grow Over Half Million During the Past Year.

(Special to The Citizen.)

RALEIGH, N. C., July 11.—A striking exposition of North Carolina's rapid progress in development of public education is given in the annual report of Secretary C. H. Mebane of the education campaign committee just completed. It shows a school fund for the year of $5,294,221, a gain of $441,012 over the year previous, raised by local taxation $1,085,79, a gain of $194,687, bonds issued in local tax districts $[illegible], a gain of $[illegible]. The report declares that all records were broken during the months of March, April and May in the matter of carrying local tax districts in that 1-2 were carried within that time, giving a total of [illegible] carried during the year in 44 counties. There are 909 local tax districts in the state at this time, distributed one each in six counties, two each in thirty-three, six to ten each in sixteen, eleven to fifteen each in eleven, eighteen to 45 each in fourteen counties. There are four counties having no local tax districts. Secretary Mebane's report shows that during the year 15 special agents were sent into various parts of the state, to fill 75 appointments in the furtherance of the educational campaign. The campaign committee to which this report is made comprises H. E. Fries, Winston Salem, ex-Governor Chas. B. Aycock, ex-Governor R. B. Glenn and Hon. J. Y. Joyner, state superintendent of public instruction. The report calls special attention to the fact that one eighth county in the state voted a special tax for improvement of schools that being New Hanover. No other county has yet adopted a special tax for the entire county.

KILLED IN MINE.

NEZOVKA, Russia, July 11.—An explosion of gas occurred today in the Makeweska mine in the Don district. One of the rescuers was overcome by gas fumes and fourteen of the miners were dead when found.

PROF. NEWCOMB TO REST FROM EARTHLY LABORS IN ARLINGTON CEMETERY

Most Distinguished Scientist of Age Passes Away in Washington.

MILITARY FUNERAL

(By Associated Press.)

WASHINGTON, July 11.—Prof. Simon Newcomb, the famous astronomer, mathematician and world traveller, who died at his home in this city early today at the age of seventy-four years, will be buried with military honors in Arlington cemetery next Wednesday. High officials of the government will attend and the honorary pall-bearers will include many prominent men in public life. The body will lie in state Monday and Tuesday at the family residence, so that it may be viewed by Washingtonians, who have regarded him as one of the world's greatest scientists. Professor Newcomb is survived by his wife, a daughter of the late Dr. Hasley, surgeon U. S. N., and three daughters, Dr. Anita Newcomb McGee of Washington, Mrs. Francis Winslow of New York, and Mrs. Edward Whitney, of New York.

Received Many Honors.

During his distinguished career Professor Newcomb had been the recipient of many honors from leading scientific societies and from royalty. He was a member of the Institute of France, the Royal Astronomical society of Great Britain and the American association for the Advancement of Science. During his service with the United States government he conducted a number of parties to foreign lands to observe eclipses.

His astronomical researches cover more than three hundred papers and a long list of books on astronomy, mathematics and political economy. Some of these are text books, while others are exhaustive studies of subjects.

Held Important Posts.

Professor Newcomb held many important posts, including that of professor of mathematics at John Hopkin's university. He held the degree of L. L. D., from Yale, Harvard, Columbia, George Washington and other universities.

He first entered the United States navy as a professor of mathematics, in 1861, after his graduation from the Lawrence Scientific School of Harvard. He was retired with the rank of rear-admiral in 1897.